The Federal Communications Commission 445 12th Street, SW Washington, DC 20554

Dear The Federal Communications Commission,

The flat-fee Universal Service Fund proposal is unfair. I urge you to oppose this plan. I am one of the millions of consumers who will be unfairly taxed at a higher rate under the flat fee plan. The flat fee would mean a tax hike for people like me--consumers who use prepaid cellular phones or make few long distance calls, and use it mostly for emergency, etc., not lots of socialization!

I support the Keep USF Fair Coalition, and monitor this issue on their website. Stopping the flat-fee tax is important to my family - not to mention my pocket book. You will hear from me again, until this issue is resolved fairly! The flat fee is unfair, and un-American.

Under the flat-fee proposal you are considering, people who make few long-distance calls would pay the same as people or businesses that make many calls. In other words, low-volume and primarily residential customers would bear the same universal service fund burden as high-volume residential or business customers. I urge you to reject this flat-fee proposal.

Thank you, and God bless you and others.

Michele DeJoie

cc: FCC Chair Kevin Martin, Congress

Sincerely,

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